

Appl. No. 09/926,375
Response dated December 23, 2004
Reply to Office action of November 29, 2004

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant elects Group I, the claims readable thereon as being claims 1-35, which are drawn to a transgenic nonhuman animal whose genome comprises a transgene encoding a protein operably linked to a regulatory sequence for salivary gland specific expression, a method of making said animal and a method of using said animal to express a protein in the gastrointestinal tract of the animal. This is without prejudice to Applicant filing a divisional application to the Group II-IV inventions.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee (including any claim fee) which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 02-2095.

In view of the foregoing comments and amendments, we respectfully submit that the application is in order for allowance and early indication of that effect is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner deem it beneficial to discuss the application in greater detail, she is kindly requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at (416) 957-1682 at her convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

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